# FISCAL YEAR 2010-11 BUDGET WORKSHOP

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#### INTRODUCTION

- An unusual budget process/schedule
  - Recession
  - Revenues not matching expenditures
  - Structural deficit/use of reserves
  - Not "self-correcting"
- Purpose of workshop
  - Provide updated information
  - Create a City Council policy foundation for the remainder of the process

# INTRODUCTION (CONT.)

- Revenues declining/expenditures growing
  - How to address:
    - > Increase revenues
    - Offsetting expenditure reductions services/positions
    - > Mitigate compensation cost increases
- Short-term
  - "3 prong" strategy
    - Key = managing expenditure growth

# INTRODUCTION (CONT.)

- Long-term sustainability
  - Manage service/staffing expansion
  - Limit CIPs with maintenance cost increases
  - Long-term compensation cost issues
    - PERS pension
    - Retirees' Health insurance cost
  - Service provision models

#### GENERAL OPERATING FUND

Fiscal	Actual	Budgeted	
<u>Year</u>	Revenues	<u>Expenditures</u>	<u>Net</u>
2005-06	\$ 78.9	72.7	+6.2
2006-07	85.1 (	(+6.2) 78.5	(+5.8) +6.6
2007-08	88.1 (	(+3.0) 84.9	(+6.4) +3.2
2008-09	88.0	(-0.1) 88.4	(+3.5) -0.4
2009-10 (1)	86.7	(-1.3) 88.6	(+0.2) -1.9
2009-10 (2)	85.8	(-2.2) 88.6	(+0.2) -2.8
2010-11 (3)	86.1 (	(+0.3) 91.1	(+2.5) -5.0

(Dollars in Millions) (1) Budgeted revenue (2) Estimated revenue (3) Forecast 5

#### PRIOR YEAR ACTIONS

- FY02-03 through FY05-06
  - Reduced expenditures \$10.8 M (\$7.0 M depts.)
  - Eliminated 66.25 positions (58.5 General Fund)
  - Adjustment to fees \$ 2.5 M
- FY09-10
  - Reduced expenditures \$4.0 M (\$2.2 M depts.)
  - Unfunded 15.25 positions (12.25 General Fund)
  - Adjustment to fees \$190,000
  - Use of \$1.6 M in Reserves

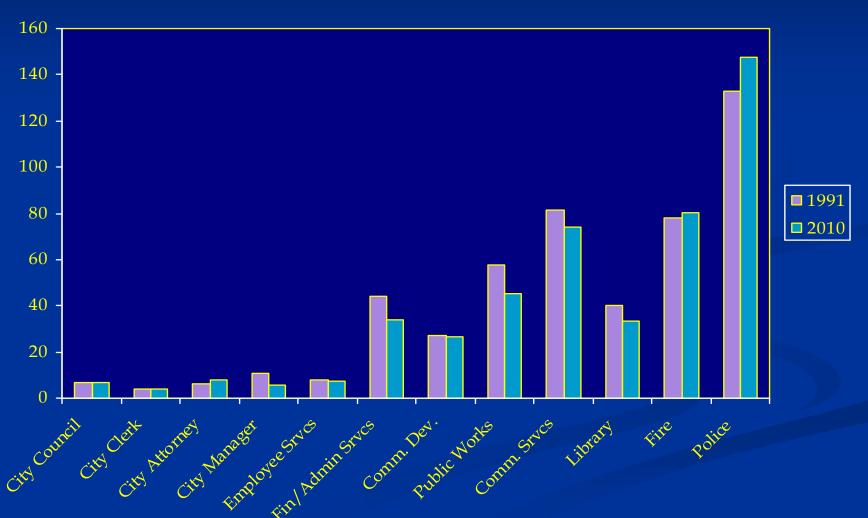
# ADJUSTING TO PREVIOUS CHALLENGES

- What we have done & what the results have been
  - Flattened the organization and achieved organizational efficiencies by...
    - Eliminating management and supervisory positions
    - Eliminating clerical/support/analytical positions
  - Reduced Planning staff
  - Reduced Parks/Streets Maintenance
  - Reduced Facilities/Vehicle Maintenance
  - Reduced Performing Arts staff
  - Reduced Library staff and services
- Structurally balanced budget maintained up until FY09-10

# PRIOR DEPARTMENT REDUCTIONS

<u>Department</u>	Net Reductions since FY02-03	<u>%</u>
City Manager	\$ 386	27.9%
City Clerk	125	26.0%
Finance & Admin. Service	ces 1,343	20.1%
Employee Services	<b>225</b>	17.2%
Library Services	702	16.5%
Public Works	1,307	15.4%
Community Developmen	nt 344	12.7%
Community Services	1,279	12.5%
City Council	26	11.1%
City Attorney	124	10.4%
Police	916	4.6%
Fire	<u>259</u>	2.2%
Total	\$ 7,036	
(Dollars in Thousands)	Average Reductions	<b>14.7%</b> <sub>8</sub>

#### CITY GENERAL FUND STAFFING



# FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

#### FY09-10 BUDGET

FY09-10 Projected Budget Deficit	\$ (5,837)
Unfunded 15.25 City positions	1,528
Transferred \$1.0 M Civic Center Debt	1,019
Reduction in services and supplies	614
Salary savings for non-safety vacant positions	300
Reduction in new capital equipment funding	200
Fee modifications	190
Employee Concessions (also FY10-11 \$852,000)	<u>377</u>
Budget balanced with reserves	\$ (1,609)

### GENERAL OPERATING FUND BUDGET

	2009-10	2009-10	2010-11
	<u>Adopted</u>	<b>Estimated</b>	<u>Forecast</u>
Revenues	\$ 86,657	85,816	86,093
Expenditures	<u>88,590</u>	<u>84,895</u>	<u>91,087</u>
Balance (Deficit)	(1,933)	921	(4,994)
Retirees' Health and			
Equipment Replc. Exp.	(2,321)	(2,321)	
Est. Budget Savings	<u>2,645</u>	<u>Included</u>	
Use of Reserves	\$ (1,609)	(1,400)	

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(Dollars in Thousands)

#### FY10-11 PROJECTED DEFICIT

FY09-10 Carryover Deficit	\$ (1,609)
FY09-10 Est. Budget Savings/	
Supplemental Expenditures, Net	(325)
Projected Revenue Decline	(564)
Compensation and Benefit Increase	(2,285)
Services and Supplies (not including additional	
nondiscretionary expenditures)	(167)
Liability Self-Insurance	(44)
FY10-11 Projected Budget Deficit	\$ (4,994)

#### GENERAL OPERATING FUND FORECAST

	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13
	<u>Forecast</u>	<u>Forecast</u>	<u>Forecast</u>
Revenues	\$ 86,093	88,684	92,188
Expenditures	<u>91,087</u>	<u>96,049</u>	<u>101,591</u>
Balance (Deficit)	\$ (4,994)	(7,365)	(9,403)

(Dollars in Thousands)

#### GENERAL OPERATING FUND

#### Current Fiscal Year

- Revenues estimated \$841,000 less than adopted, due to sales tax
- Expenditures estimated \$3.7 M less than adopted (assumed \$2.6M)
- Reserves estimated \$1.4 M required to backfill structural deficit
- Fiscal Year 2010-11 Projected
  - Revenues projected \$564,000 lower than current FY adopted
  - Expenditures projected \$2.5 M higher than current FY adopted
- Fiscal Years 2011-12 and 2012-13 Projected
  - Revenues projected to grow modestly \$2.6 M and \$3.5 M
  - Expenditures projected to grow \$5.0 M and \$5.5 M of which \$1.4 M and \$2.0 M is due to PERS rate related to investment losses

# PROPOSED PRINCIPLES AND STRATEGY

#### PROPOSED PRINCIPLES

- Preservation of public health, safety and infrastructure
- Prioritize preservation of core services that benefit the common good and cannot be readily accessed in another way
- Distinguish between essential service elements and customer service amenities in considering reductions in the Police and Fire Departments' budgets
- Continue to meet Federal, State and local regulatory requirements and mandates to the extent feasible
- Focus reductions on discretionary services Mountain View provides that other cities do not
- Preserve future talent in the City organization where possible

# PROPOSED PRINCIPLES (cont.)

- Protect internal services that support the efficiency of, and are essential to, the provision of City operations
- Consider the magnitude and impact of department reductions in prior fiscal years
- No expansion of City services without identified revenue sources
- Charge a fair price to access City services that serve targeted populations and not the community as a whole, distinguishing between residents and nonresidents
- Achieve meaningful, long-term savings in compensation and benefits that are shared equally among all City employees

## PROPOSED PRINCIPLES (cont.)

- Achieve a balanced, sustainable budget that incorporates departmental reductions, new fees and permanent employee cost containment
- Maintain sufficient reserves
- Consider high-potential employee cost-saving and revenue suggestions
- Provide sufficient time for community and employee engagement
- Identify longer-term strategies to contain costs and generate revenue, including evaluation of alternative approaches to service delivery

# PROPOSED BALANCING STRATEGY

- Three interrelated categories and targets:
  - Operating Expenditure Reductions \$3.5 M \$4.0 M
  - New Revenues \$500,000 \$1.0 M
  - Compensation/Benefit Savings \$1.0 M
- Targets based on \$5.0 M projected deficit
- Approach is to give Council flexibility by presenting options that exceed the targets in each category
- New revenues would be achieved via increases and new fees
- Targets would need to be adjusted if revenue or savings in one category are not implemented

# CATAGORIZATION OF CITY SERVICES

- Presented to demonstrate the types of services the City provides and which are mandatory, commonly provided, or unique to Mountain View
- Is the presentation useful to Council?
- Should staff continue to refine the matrix?

#### **COST RECOVERY**

- Does Council wish to establish a cost recovery policy?
- Need for Council input on which categories of Recreation services should come closer to "market" in cost recovery
- If desire to pursue Senior Center fee, suggest referring it to the Senior Advisory Committee for comment

#### LONGER-TERM INITIATIVES

- Alternative Service Delivery Approaches
- Structural Compensation Changes
- Ballot Revenue Measures/Property Owner-Approved Districts
- Is Council interested in Pursuing?

#### COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

- What is the intended outcome?
- Does the Council wish to undertake a community consultation process within this budget cycle?
- What approach should the City implement?

#### **NEXT STEPS**